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TC/A.U.	:	3736	Examiner	: J. Foreman
Docket No.	:	END0795USNP	Customer No.	: 000027777
Title	:	AN MRI COMPTAIBLE BIOPSY DEVICE HAVING A TIP WHICH LEAVES AN ARTIFACT		

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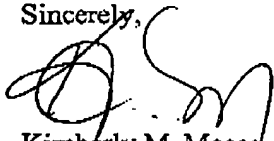
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